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Fall 2007 Programs

Wolf Lake State Fish Hatchery Visitor Center

Fall Color Walk

Saturday, October 6 and Saturday, October 13 at 10:00 a.m.

The Big Sit! Bird-A-Thon

Sunday, October 14, 2007 from 8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Owl Prowl

Saturday, October 20 at 7:00 p.m.

Beginner's Birding

Saturday, October 20 and Saturday, October 27 at 10:00 a.m.



Fall Color Walk:

Take a gentle stroll with us and enjoy the beautiful fall season! Learn why trees change color in the fall, view several common Michigan tree species and learn how to identify them.



The Big Sit!

The Big Sit! is an annual, noncompetitive birding event. Join the Audubon Society of Kalamazoo and be part of the official National Big Sit Day. Birders from across North America will be out sitting and watching, trying to record as many species as possible. Participants are encouraged to bring a chair and be sure to dress for the weather. If you have them, bring your binoculars, scopes and field guides. We will have some on hand for those without. Meet at the large white tent behind the Visitor Center at the starting time for a guided walk to the observation location. The Visitor Center will provide light refreshments and be open for participants to enjoy during these special programs.



Owl Prowl

Join us to learn about the amazing owl! Participants will learn how owls hear a mouse beneath the snow, how they capture their prey, and what their habitat requirements are. We will take a walk through the woods in an attempt to hear and see owls that live on the grounds of the fish hatchery. The Visitor Center will be open with shortly before the program, during and shortly after the program for participants.



Beginners Birding:

The Wolf Lake Fish Hatchery grounds are one of the best places in the area to see waterfowl and other birds. Check out what species are headed north during the fall migration. If you have them- bring your binoculars, scopes and field guides. We will have some on hand for those without.

- **Programs are approximately 1 hour in length unless otherwise noted**
- **Walk is not strenuous, approximately one mile or less**
- **Be sure to dress warm and wear comfortable shoes**
- **All ages and skill levels welcome**
- **No registration or fee is required for these programs**